the collection and publication of unpublished Tamil manuscripts, as in the case of the collection and publication of old palm-leaf manuscripts in Malayalam and Sanskrit for which they have appointed scholars?

MR. S. PARAMESVARA AIYAR (*Secretary to Government*): The member's attention is invited to paragraph 2 of G. O. R. O. C. No. 422 of 23/Leg. E. dated the 9th January, 1924.

Publication of the Travancore Economic Journal in Tamil.

400. MR. T. M. CHIDAMBARATANU PILLAI (*Kalkulam* cum *Tovala*): (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether all the members on the committee organised for the publication of the *Economic Journal* in Tamil have a knowledge of Tamil?

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to appoint as members on that committee persons who have scholarship in Tamil?

MR. S. PARAMESVARA AIYAR (*Secretary to Government*): (*a*) No committee has been organised for the publication of the *Economic Journal* in Tamil.

(*b*) In view of the answer to part (*a*), this question does not arise.

Award of a Scholarship to a Nanjanad Vellala in the B. A. (Hons.) Class.

401. MR. T. M. CHIDAMBARATANU PILLAI (*Kalkulam* cum *Tovala*): Will the Government be pleased to award a scholarship to the only Vellala student studying in the B. A. (Hons.) class in view of the fact that no one from that community has till now studied for and passed that examination?

MR. S. PARAMESVARA AIYAR (*Secretary to Government*): Government are issuing separate orders revising the scheme now in force relating to the award of scholarships and that scheme should apply to Nanjanad Vellalas as well as other communities.

Age of Officers.

402. MR. T. KUMARA PILLAI (*Eraniel* cum *Vilavankod*): (*a*) Have the Government enquired who the officer is, with reference to whom Mr. R. Narayana Pillai, Member, Vilavankod taluk, said, at the last session of the Sri Mulam Popular Assembly, that, if the age entered in the service book of an officer who was in the public service here was to be believed, it would be seen that his son entered the service in his 14th year of age?

(*b*) If not, do the Government propose to make an enquiry in the matter?

(*c*) Have the Government enquired who the officer is, with reference to whom Mr. R. Narayana Pillai, Member, Vilavankod taluk, said, at the last session of the Sri Mulam Popular Assembly that, even after his younger brother had left the service on completing his 55th year of age, the elder brother in service had not completed his 55th year of age according to his service book?

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[Mr. S. Parameswara Aiyar.]

(*d*) If not, do the Government propose to make an enquiry into the matter?

MR. K. GEORGE (*Financial Secretary to Government*): (*a*) to (*d*) Information which is necessary to enable the Government to make enquiries has not been furnished by Mr. Narayana Pillai.

MR. T. KUMARA PILLAI (*Eraniel* cum *Vilavankod*): മിസ്റ്റർ-നാരായണപിള്ളയോട് ഈ വിവരം ഗവർണ്മെൻറ് എഴുതി ചോദിച്ചിട്ടുണ്ടോ?

MR. K. GEORGE (*Financial Secretary to Government*): ചോദിച്ചിട്ടില്ല.

MR. T. KUMARA PILLAI (*Eraniel* cum *Vilavankod*): പബ്ലിക്ക് സർവീസിന്റെ നിഷ്കളങ്കതയെ പരിപാലിക്കുന്നതിന് ഇങ്ങനെ ഗവർണ്മെൻറിനെപ്പറ്റി പാപ്പുലർ അസംബ്ലിയിൽ വെച്ച് ഒരു മെംബർ പറഞ്ഞത് ശരിയാണോ എന്ന് അന്വേഷിച്ച് അറിയേണ്ടതല്ലേ?

MR. K. GEORGE (*Financial Secretary to Government*): അസംബ്ലിയിൽ ആ ഉദ്യോഗസ്ഥനാരാണെന്ന മെംബർ പറഞ്ഞില്ല.

MR. T. KUMARA PILLAI (*Eraniel* cum *Vilavankod*): ഗവർണ്മെൻറിന്റെ നയത്തെ പരിപാലിക്കുന്നതിന് ഇങ്ങനെയുള്ള ചോദ്യം ആമെംബറോട് തന്നെ ചോദിച്ചറിയേണ്ടതല്ലേ?

MR. K. GEORGE (*Financial Secretary to Government*): അല്ല.

Mr. M. Rajaraja Varma's Report on the Conduct of Officers in connection with the Students' Strike.

403. MR. M. N. PILLAI (*Trivandrum*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether Mr. M. Rajaraja Varma was not entrusted with all the papers on the students' strike for submitting a report on the question of the culpability of the Government servants concerned;

(*b*) whether Mr. Rajaraja Varma submitted a report in the matter;

(*c*) if so, why that report was not printed; and

(*d*) whether that report will be laid on the table?

MR. S. PARAMESVARA AIYAR (*Secretary to Government*): (*a*) Mr. M. Rajaraja Varma, then Efficiency Audit Officer, was asked to examine the file and prepare a minute for the information of the Government.

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